

**DELEGATION OF AUTHORITY  
CLEAN WATER ACT (CWA)**

Grants for Indian Set-Aside Wastewater Treatment Projects

1. **AUTHORITY.** To approve grants for the development of waste treatment management plans and for the construction of sewage treatment works to serve federally recognized Indian Tribes, Tribes on former reservations in Oklahoma, and Alaska Native Villages as authorized by Section 518(c) of the Clean Water Act (CWA). Such grants may be made to a State or other organization if authorized by the Tribe of the Village.
2. **TO WHOM REDELEGATED.**
  - a. To the Director, Water Division, or equivalent.
  - b. The authority under Delegation 1-14-A to execute the grants is redelegated through the Director, Mission Support Division, or equivalent, and through the Branch Chief, Grants and Interagency Agreements Branch, or equivalent, to the Section Chief, Grants Section, or equivalent.
3. **LIMITATIONS.** The regional administrator may redelegate this authority for only those projects above the funding line on the Indian Set-Aside National Project Priority List.
4. **REDELEGATION AUTHORITY.**
  - a. The authority may not be redelegated.
  - b. An official who redelegates an authority retains the right to exercise or withdraw the authority. Redelegated authority may be exercised by any official in the chain of command down to the official to whom it has been specifically redelegated.
5. **SUPERSESSSION.** This delegation supersedes R10 2-80 (07/28/2016) and any other delegation of the same authority.
6. **ADDITIONAL REFERENCES.**
  - a. 40 CFR 31 and 32.
  - b. Guidelines and Requirements for Applying For grants from the Indian Set-Aside Program, April 1989.
  - c. EPA Delegation 1-14-A.
  - d. EPA Delegation 2-80.

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Date

  
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Regional Administrator